

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1629 – HB 1694

March 26, 2018

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Requires the State Board of Education (SBE) to report the number of state teacher training certifications revoked, the number of institutions placed on temporary probation, and the number of institutions regaining certification to the Senate Education Committee and the House Education Administration and Planning Committee no later than December 31 of each year.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (015637): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Requires teacher preparation programs to report the number of program completers that get certain low performing scores on their overall evaluation in their first year of teaching. Requires the report to be filed with the Tennessee Higher Education Commission (THEC), the State Board of Education (SBE), and the education related committees of the House of Representatives and the Senate. Authorizes the SBE to add this information in its teacher preparation report card.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- The SBE and THEC will be able to amend their policies in accordance with the provisions of this legislation during the normal course of business; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- University of Tennessee system universities and locally-governed institutions will be able to comply with the reporting requirements in accordance with the provisions of this

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legislation during the normal course of business; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

- No significant impact on local government operations.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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